RESOLUTION OF THE KINGSPORT METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION ADOPTING THE 2035 LONG RANGE TRANSPORTATION PLAN

WHEREAS, the Kingsport Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization is responsible for carrying out a comprehensive, cooperative and continuing transportation planning process throughout the Kingsport Urban Area; and

WHEREAS, the Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act — A Legacy for Users (SAFETEA-LU) enabling legislation specifies that each Metropolitan Planning Organization have a current long-range transportation plan to provide the basis for transportation decisions in the urbanized area; and

WHEREAS, the various state, local, and regional agencies involved with transportation planning for the Kingsport Urban Area have cooperatively developed the 2035 Long Range Transportation Plan to satisfy the federal planning requirements of SAFETEA-LU; and

WHEREAS, the 2035 Long Range Transportation Plan was developed pursuant to the requirements of 23 CFR, Part 450; and

WHEREAS, the MTPO has involved the public and interested stakeholders in an open and transparent process in accordance with the MTPO's adopted Public Participation Plan (PPP).

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE KINGSPORT METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION AS FOLLOWS:

The 2035 Long Range Transportation Plan is hereby approved and adopted by the Kingsport Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization in order to ensure the continued livability, sustainability, and prosperity of the region by serving as the basis for future transportation planning and programming decisions.

John Campbell

Chairman, Executive Board

Date

Chris Campbell

Chairman, Executive Staff

Date